



# Leader Handbook

## Questions List (10 min):

1. Each student will be asked to choose a number between 1 and 40. This number will correspond with a question you ask from the Questions List below.
2. Each student will answer his/her question. If they are really struggling, you can tell them to pick another question but they must answer the second question.
3. You as a leader should answer a question too so that they see you in a vulnerable light.

- ..... 1. What do you think is great about life?
- ..... 2. What is important to make a family successful?
- ..... 3. What three wishes would you wish from a magic genie? *(you can't ask for more wishes)*
- ..... 4. What do you think children should be taught and why?
- ..... 5. If you could travel anywhere, where would it be?
- ..... 6. What do you do in your spare time?
- ..... 7. What is the best thing someone has ever done for you?
- ..... 8. What really makes a positive difference in your life?
- ..... 9. If you could be an animal, what would it be and why?
- ..... 10. What do you wish you had that you don't have now?
- ..... 11. What does your family do that you like?
- ..... 12. If you had a day all to yourself, what would you do?
- ..... 13. If you were to dye your hair another color, what would it be and why?
- ..... 14. What talent would you really like to have?
- ..... 15. Who do you think is the most successful person alive today and why?
- ..... 16. What is your pet peeve? Why does that bother you?
- ..... 17. What is your all-time favorite movie and why?
- ..... 18. When you want some alone time, where do you like to go?
- ..... 19. What is the best vacation you have ever been on?
- ..... 20. Who do you want to be like and why?

## HOT TIPS!

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- ..... 21. If you could be any age, what would it be and why?
- ..... 22. What would be the perfect day for you and why?
- ..... 23. Tell us something funny that you remember about junior high.
- ..... 24. What would you do with one million balloons?
- ..... 25. If you could be a car, what would you be and why?
- ..... 26. If you had two tickets to go around the world for one year, who would you take and why?
- ..... 27. What teacher has encouraged you and how?
- ..... 28. If you found out you had only two weeks to live, what would you do?
- ..... 29. What qualities do you look for in a friend?
- ..... 30. What is something that you want to accomplish in high school?
- ..... 31. What's your favorite song and why?
- ..... 32. If you had to live in a different country, what would it be and why?
- ..... 33. Where do you go to think?
- ..... 34. If there is anything in your life you could change, what would it be?
- ..... 35. What qualities are in a good teacher?
- ..... 36. Who has influenced you the most in the past year and why?
- ..... 37. What's something you've done for somebody?
- ..... 38. If you could meet anyone, living or dead, who would it be and why?
- ..... 39. If you could change you name, what would you like it to be?
- ..... 40. What TV character is most like you and why?

**Transition to break:** "Hey, we've spent the morning getting to know each other a little and meeting some challenges and when you come back from break we'll have an even bigger challenge waiting for you."

Take them to their break area and tell them you expect them back in the classroom at the end of break.

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